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CHICAGO BROILER/FRYER

PRELIMINARY FOR DELIVERY THE WEEK OF 08-Jan-2007

	RANGE	MAJORITY	WTD. AVG.	LOADS
US GRADE A	64-75	65-68	68.13	28

ESTIMATED U.S. LIVE POULTRY SLAUGHTER

UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION FOR WEEK ENDING 06-Jan-2007

	Current Week	Previous Week
Broiler/fryer	136,307	159,665

GEORGIA FOB DOCK PRICES

WEDNESDAY

70.50

FRIDAY PRELIM. WTD. AVG.:

70.09

Georgia f.o.b. dock confirmed preliminary weighted average price on ice packed parts:

ITEM	WTD. AVG. (CENTS PER POUND)	VOLUME (000 POUNDS)
LINE RUN TENDERS	166.00	1,170
BREASTS - B/S	140.00	5,420
BREASTS - WHOLE	85.50	1,234
THIGH MEAT - B/S	96.50	1,045
LEG QUARTERS	33.00	8,358
WINGS	117.00	2,581

This information is supplied by the Georgia Department of Agriculture's Poultry Market News Service.

MIDWEST Preliminary majorities in Chicago were 3 cents higher compared to Wednesday's final majority. Whole broiler market tone was fully steady to firm. Offers on whole fryers were limited for the fair buyers needs. Retail demand light to moderate. Food service movement was mostly moderate to fairly good continuing best into fast foods. Floor stocks were adequate to balanced, instances close. Sizes mostly desirable. In parts trade, wings and boneless leg items were tight, boneless skinless breasts and leg items adequate to in closely balance. The market tone on all parts items was fully steady to firm.

WEIGHTED AVERAGE PRICES FOR WHOLE YOUNG TURKEYS, FROZEN CONSUMER SIZES, COMMODITY PACK OR EQUIVALENT, US GRADE A, CENTS PER LB, DELIVERED (MINIMUM 10,000 LB LOTS) **WEEK ENDING JANUARY 05, 2007**

	CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO		CURRENT WEEK	LAST WEEK	SAME WEEK YEAR AGO
8-16 LB HENS				16-24 LB TOMS			
EASTERN REGION	68.00**	69.00**	71.00**	EASTERN REGION	68.00**	69.00**	71.00**
CENTRAL REGION	68.00**	69.00**	69.80	CENTRAL REGION	68.00**	69.00**	69.00
WESTERN REGION	68.50**	69.00**	71.00**	WESTERN REGION	68.50**	69.00**	71.00**

**BASED ON OFFERS

LIVE POULTRY SLTRD UNDER FEDERAL INSPECTION

WEEK ENDING 30-Dec-2006 (PRELIMINARY)

YOUNG CHICKENS THOUSANDS

Head	133,860
Avg Wt	5.43
Last week	159,549
Same wk yr ago	142,014
Avg Wt	5.35
To-date/2006	8,351,180
To-date/2005	8,343,294

LIVE TURKEYS SLAUGHTERED

YOUNG HENS YOUNG TOMS THOUSANDS

Head	1,189	1,828
Avg Wt	15.93	38.69
Last week	1,497	1,975
Same wk yr ago	1,277	1,852
Avg Wt	16.14	39.24
To-date/2006	101,312	133,018
To-date/2005	94,953	132,936

FRESH BEEF CUTS

FOB Negotiated

112A 3 Rib, rib eye, bnls, heavy
168 3 Round, top inside round
180 3 Loin, strip, bnls, Ox1
Ground Beef 81%

PRICE	RANGE
480.25	565.00
175.50	187.00
528.00	560.00
105.59	129.10

WEIGHTED AVERAGE

514.99
181.07
540.15
114.90

Source: USDA/ AMS, Livestock and Grain Market News